

NEWARK POLICE DEPARTMENT PRESS RELEASE



September 5, 2008

DATE/TIME OF INCIDENT: April 25th, 2008

LOCATION: Baylor Drive, Newark

NATURE OF INCIDENT: Residential Burglary

CHARGES: Burglary 2nd

Theft

Conspiracy

Criminal Mischief

DEFENDANT: Sumner Long

18 years of age

138 Timberline Dr. Newark

Suspect: Talbot Long

(Twin brother of Sumner, same address)

SUMMARY:

The Newark Police Department Criminal Investigations Division has identified Sumner and Talbot Long as the persons responsible for the April 25th, 2008 burglary of a residence on Baylor Drive, Newark, Delaware. During the burglary, the suspects entered into the residence after smashing out a window and unlocking the rear door. Once inside, a video game system was stolen.

A few days later, Talbot Long was being investigated by another police agency for a separate offense. Messages retrieved from Long's phone during that investigation implicated the brothers in this burglary.

On Friday, 09/05/08, Sumner Long was arrested and charged with Burglary 2nd, theft, conspiracy and criminal mischief. He was later transported to the Howard R. Young Correctional Facility in default of \$18,000 secured bond. Talbot Long was taken into custody in West Virginia for the same charges. The warrants on Talbot will be served upon his return to Delaware.

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